

Local News Items

Try the new meat market.

H. W. Young went to El Paso, Tuesday.

Ye editor made a business trip to Deming, Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Albion are expected back home October 2.

For good carpenter work Crisamore is the man to see. If

Sam and Louis Ravel spent Saturday in El Paso celebrating the Jewish New Year, 5672.

Engines properly installed are gasoline saucers. See Kearney.

Clay Kyle, of Kyle, Texas, is visiting with his uncle, Capt. Kyle, of the customs service.

Turnip seed and poultry supplies ask Columbus Outfitting Company.

Charles N. Boynton, who recently filed on land northeast of town, is just finishing a fine well.

H. P. Hansen and Jas. Durham attended the Republican county convention at Deming last Saturday.

Hand in every occurrence of a news nature, but don't wait until Friday or Saturday and expect to see it in print.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Brown of El Paso, arrived Wednesday to make this their future home. They have land southwest of town.

A number of friends gathered at the Goebel home last Friday to assist in celebrating the anniversary of Miss Margurite's birthday.

R. J. Harrington took the noon train Wednesday for El Paso. He will add to his stock of canned goods, and otherwise improve his place of business.

"Prince" Al Watkins was in Columbus last Wednesday buying a big bunch of Mexican cattle from Albert B. Reed. About 200 head were imported and driven north to his ranch near Deming.

Some people never hand in an item of news for publication, but if we happen to miss an item in which they are interested, they are sure to hand us a north pole story that would freeze the liver of a polar bear.

The Courier is in receipt of copies of the Chronoscope and Tiller and Toiler, newspapers published at Larned, K. n., which show the local townsites company's advertising force is getting right into the heart of the people of Columbus and the lower Mimbres Valley.

Few people have any idea what an incentive it is to both teacher and scholar to know that parents and outsiders are taking a lively interest in their work. We be-

lieve the "little folk" at school appreciate such interest more, perhaps, than the larger ones. Still, the effect is not lost on any of them, and we hope every parent will take a hint from this and place the public school on their visiting list.

Friday evening a number of young people met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Simmons for a social evening. After several games of cards little Miss Pauline served delicious cake and punch. Then all "tried their hand" at dropping peanuts into a vase. Miss Eva Opdyke won the ladies' prize, a pair of embroidery scissors, while W. D. Hankins captured the prize appropriate for a gentleman, a pair of silk socks. Following are the names of those present: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. White, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Peach, Mesdames Laddell, Alley, Simmons; Misses Eva and Zeida Opdyke, Clara Peach, Pauline Simmons, and Messrs. W. D. Hankins and H. J. Cox.

Country produce bought and sold by Square Deal Meat Market.

Anselmo Arriola, a Mexican, was arrested Tuesday by Deputy Sheriff Chadborn on the charge of burglary and larceny. He was caught with some of the goods on his person. Later his house was searched and a large quantity of stuff belonging to various persons was recovered. A preliminary hearing was held before Judge Tate, who bound him over to district court, and he was taken to Deming Wednesday and lodged in jail.

There are no "House for Rent" signs to be seen in this town, which is good proof of growth and prosperity; also an indication that more homes ought to be provided for the people who would move here if houses could be rented. A number of cozy and attractive cottages that can be rented at a reasonable figure is what we need.

F. M. Cossett is in receipt of a letter from W. R. Fleming, breaking the news of his marriage a short time ago to a young lady of Muskogee, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Fleming are now enjoying their wedding trip through the south. The letter was written from Aniete, La. They expect to be in Columbus in the near future.

S. D. Nelson, of Wichita, Kan., was in Columbus the first of the week taking notes of the valley. Mr. Nelson is looking for an opening for the banking business and is well pleased with prospects found here.

N. H. Darton of the geological survey, is here investigating the underflow of the valley for a special report to the interior department. From what we can learn,

his opinion of this subject is not disappointing to the most enthusiastic booster of the Mimbres Valley. He is also making a special trip over the onyx and marble deposits. A report on this rock he will embody in a statement to the mining department.

FOR SALE: Brochure No. 3 Folding camera. Good as new. Inquire at Courier office.

W. R. Page came into Columbus last Saturday from Tampa, Florida, after first visiting Deming. Mr. Page likes Columbus and this part of the Mimbres Valley so well that he purchased three lots east of the business section, on which he contemplates erecting some cottages for rent.

Geo. Zeiring and R. McClughan, of Albuquerque, arrived in Columbus last Saturday. Mr. McClughan has acquired land northwest of here, and will enter into the real estate business at this place. Mr. Zeiring is looking for a homestead.

On account of many of the voting precincts of the county having no railroad or telegraph facilities the full county vote of the Democratic primary held last Saturday has not yet been reported as we go to press.

Does your engine consume too much fuel? Does it run irregular? See Kearney, the engine doctor.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All announcements under this head, for state, district, county and township, are required to be paid in advance.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for District Attorney for the Sixth Judicial District, composed of Grant and Luna counties, subject to the will of the Democratic party, expressed either in district convention or primary, and pledge the people a clean and energetic enforcement of law, if nominated and elected.

ALVAN S. WHITE.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination of District Attorney for the Sixth Judicial district, composed of Luna and Grant counties, subject to the will of the Democratic party as expressed in primary or convention, and pledge a clean, energetic enforcement of the law if nominated and elected.

JAS. S. FIELDER.

COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

GRACE G. GOEBEL, Columbus.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of the Second district, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

JAMES DURHAM, Columbus.

Mrs. W. T. Richie entertained the Ladies' aid society last Wednesday afternoon, this being the monthly tea. All were invited to work on "that quilt" while something nice for Thanksgiving was being discussed. After paying their dimes the ladies were served with lemonade, cake and melon. Those present were Mesdames Lee Thomas, A. L. Taylor, W. F. King, H. Alley, Will Richie, and Meek; Misses Waterbury, Etella Goebel and Myrtle Richie.

Cedar Posts. Straight, good sized Texas cedar posts for sale. If J. L. WALKER.

See Square Deal Meat Market.

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